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NOTE FOR: Graham, Fritz, Dave, Larry, Bob V.

SUBJECT: Outings at the Defense Intelligence College's (DIC's)

New Course, National Senior Intelligence Program (NSIP)

its offerings for its senior students. As part of that endeavor he is putting together the first running of a course (for Colonels), entitled
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2. In the interests of helping get this new effort off to a good start, I would appreciate your lending a receptive ear to his invitation, when it comes, to spend an informal two hours, morning or afternoon, at some time at your convenience during the week of 5 May. I will be meeting later with his class, largely on matters of process. What he will be asking you for is to lead discussion sessions based on the following subjects

- -- <u>NESA</u>: Key elements in the Middle East peace process and their impact on regional stability.
- -- <u>USSR</u>: Soviet leadership succession and its impact on issues of major concern to the U.S.; effects of a troubled Soviet economy and hard currency stringencies.
- -- <u>SP</u>: Soviet plans, policies, and capabilities for strategic conflict with the U.S.
- -- LA: Soviet intentions and objectives in Latin America and their relationship to Cuban activities.
- -- <u>Proliferation</u>: Principal problems concerning nuclear, chemical, and biological weapons proliferation.
- 3. I hope you can participate. Thanks.

Hal Ford

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